

Digest of Other White House Announcements

January 6, 2023

The following list includes the President's public schedule and other items of general interest announced by the Office of the Press Secretary and not included elsewhere in this Compilation.

January 1

In the morning, the President traveled to Christiansted, St. Croix, where, at Holy Cross Catholic Church, he attended Mass and spoke briefly with reporters. Later, he returned to the vacation residence of Bill and Connie Neville, where he remained overnight.

The White House announced that the President will travel to Covington, KY, on January 4.

January 2

In the afternoon, at Henry E. Rohlsen Airport, the President and Dr. Biden were greeted by local friends, military and airport officials, and police and fire personnel. Then, they returned to Washington, DC. Their daughter Ashley and her husband Howard D. Krein and their grandchildren Natalie and Hunter accompanied.

The White House announced further details on the President's travel to Covington, KY, on January 4.

The White announced that the President will travel to Wilmington, DE, on January 6.

January 3

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing.

During the day, the President submitted to an antigen test for COVID-19 and received a negative result.

The White House announced that the President will welcome Prime Minister Fumio Kishida of Japan to the White House on January 13.

The President announced his intention to nominate Ana A. Escrogima to be Ambassador to Oman.

The President announced his intention to nominate Jean E. Manes to be Ambassador to Colombia.

The President announced his intention to nominate Ervin J. Massinga to be Ambassador to Ethiopia.

The President announced his intention to nominate Matthew D. Murray to be U.S. Senior Official for the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC), with the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service.

The President announced his intention to nominate Yael Lempert to be Ambassador to Jordan.

The President announced his intention to nominate Stephanie Syptak-Ramnath to be Ambassador to Peru.

The President announced his intention to nominate Dorothy C. Shea to be U.S. Deputy Representative to the United Nations, with the rank and status of Ambassador, and U.S. Deputy

Representative to the U.N. Security Council of the United Nations as well as U.S. Representative to the sessions of the U.N. General Assembly, during her tenure of service.

The President announced his intention to nominate Demetrios L. Kouzoukas to be a member of the Supplementary Medical Insurance Trust Fund Board of Trustees, the Federal Hospital Insurance Trust Fund Board of Trustees, and the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance Trust Fund and the Federal Disability Insurance Board of Trustees.

January 4

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing. Later, he traveled to Hebron, KY. Sen. Sherrod C. Brown and former Sen. Robert J. Portman accompanied him. Upon arrival at the Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky International Airport, the President was greeted on the tarmac by Gov. Andrew G. Beshear of Kentucky, his wife Brittainy, and their children Will and Lila, Senate Minority Leader A. Mitchell McConnell, and Gov. Mike DeWine of Ohio and his wife Frances. Then, he and Sen. McConnell traveled to Covington, KY, arriving in the afternoon.

In the afternoon, near the Brent Spence Bridge, the President participated in a photo line with Lt. Gov. Jacqueline Coleman of Kentucky, Mayor Joseph U. Meyer of Covington, Mayor Aftab Pureval of Cincinnati, OH, Judge/Executive Gary W. Moore of Boone County, KY, and President of the Board of Commissioners Stephanie Summerow Dumas of Hamilton County, OH. Later, he, Sen. Brown, and Mayor Puerval traveled to Cincinnati, OH, where, at the Just Q'in BBQ restaurant, they ate lunch and greeted staff and patrons.

Later in the afternoon, the President traveled to Hebron, KY, where, upon arrival at the Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky International Airport, he returned to Washington, DC. Former Sen. Robert J. Portman accompanied him.

During the day, the President had a telephone conversation with Nina and Mario Hamlin, parents of National Football League's Buffalo Bills safety Damar Hamlin, who was hospitalized after suffering cardiac arrest during a game on January 2.

January 5

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing.

In the evening, at the Apostolic Nunciature of the Holy See, the President was greeted by Charge d'Affaires Seamus Horgan and Monsignor John Paul Pedrera and signed a condolence book for Pope Emeritus Benedict XIV.

During the day, the President had a telephone conversation with Chancellor Olaf Scholz of Germany to exchange views on Russia's ongoing war against Ukraine, reiterate their support for Ukraine's sovereignty and independence, express their common determination to continue to provide the necessary financial, humanitarian, military, and diplomatic support to Ukraine for as long as needed, and affirm their intention to further support Ukraine's urgent requirement for air defense capabilities, including the supply of Patriot air defense missile batteries and Bradley and Marder infantry fighting vehicles, respectively.

The White House announced that the President will travel to El Paso, TX, on January 8.

The President announced the appointment of Elliot Doomes as General Services Administration Regional Administrator for Zone B.

The President announced the appointment of Jason L. Shelton as General Services Administration Regional Administrator for Zone C.

The President announced the appointment of Sukhee Kang as General Services Administration Regional Administrator for Zone E.

The President announced the appointment of Everett Handford as Regional Director for Region 1 at the Department of Health and Human Services.

The President announced the appointment of Jeffrey Reynoso as Regional Director for Region 9 at the Department of Health and Human Services.

January 6

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing.

In the afternoon, in the Private Dining Room, the President and Vice President Kamala D. Harris had lunch.

In the evening, the President traveled to Greenville, DE, where, at his residence, he remained overnight.

The White House announced that the President will return to Washington, DC, on January 8.

The White House announced that the President will meet with President Andrés Manuel López Obrador of Mexico in Mexico City, Mexico, on January 9.

The White House announced that the President will meet with Prime Minister Justin P.J. Trudeau of Canada in Mexico City, Mexico, on January 10.

The White House announced further details on the President's welcoming Prime Minister Kishida of Japan to the White House on January 13.

The White House announced that the President will travel to Wilmington, DE on January 13.

The White House announced that the President will welcome the National Basketball Association's Golden State Warriors to the White House on January 17.

Names: Beshear, Andrew G.; Beshear, Britainy; Beshear, Lila; Beshear, Will; Biden, Ashley; Biden, Jill T.; Biden, Natalie P.; Biden, R. Hunter, II; Brown, Sherrod C.; Coleman, Jacqueline; DeWine, Frances; DeWine, Mike; Doomes, Elliott; Escrogima, Ana A.; Hamlin, Damar; Hamlin, Mario; Hamlin, Nina; Handford, Everett; Harris, Kamala D.; Horgan, Seamus; Kang, Sukhee; Kishida, Fumio; Kouzoukas, Demetrios L.; Krein, Howard D.; Lempert, Yael; López Obrador, Andrés Manuel; Manes, Jean E.; Massinga, Ervin J.; McConnell, A. Mitchell; Meyer, Joseph U.; Moore, Gary W.; Murray, Matthew D.; Perdrera, John Pail; Portman, Robert J.; Pureval, Aftab; Reynoso, Jeffrey; Scholz, Olaf; Shea, Dorothy C.; Shelton, Jason L.; Summerow Dumas, Stephanie; Syptak-Ramnath, Stephanie; Trudeau, Justin P.J.

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Airport in Christiansted; Virgin Islands, U.S., Holy Cross Catholic Church in Christiansted;
Virgin Islands, U.S., President's visit.